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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
DRE-0063
In Re Application Of: **Basude and Wheatley**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/980,134	July 2, 2002	Hartley, Michael G.	26259	1618	8214

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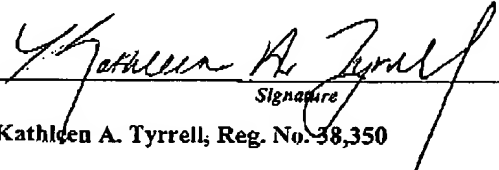
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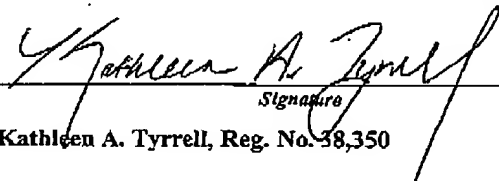
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